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Sir:

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- Letter to the Official Draftsman;
- 12 pages of drawings; and
- Our return postcard.

No additional fees are believed to be necessary. If, however, any additional fees are required, I authorize the Commissioner to charge these fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 09-0447. No extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an extension of time is required, the extension is requested, and I authorize the Commissioner to charge any fees for this extension to Deposit Account No. 50-0392.

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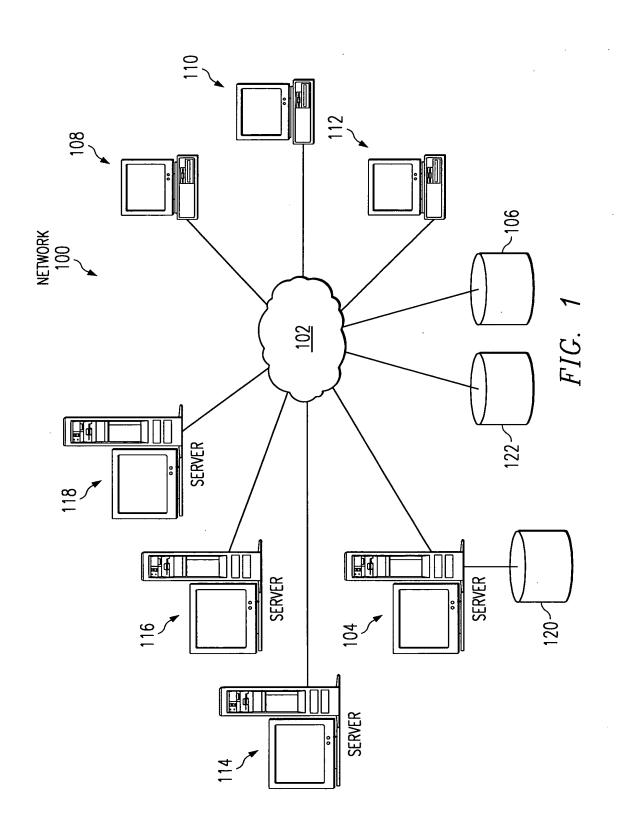
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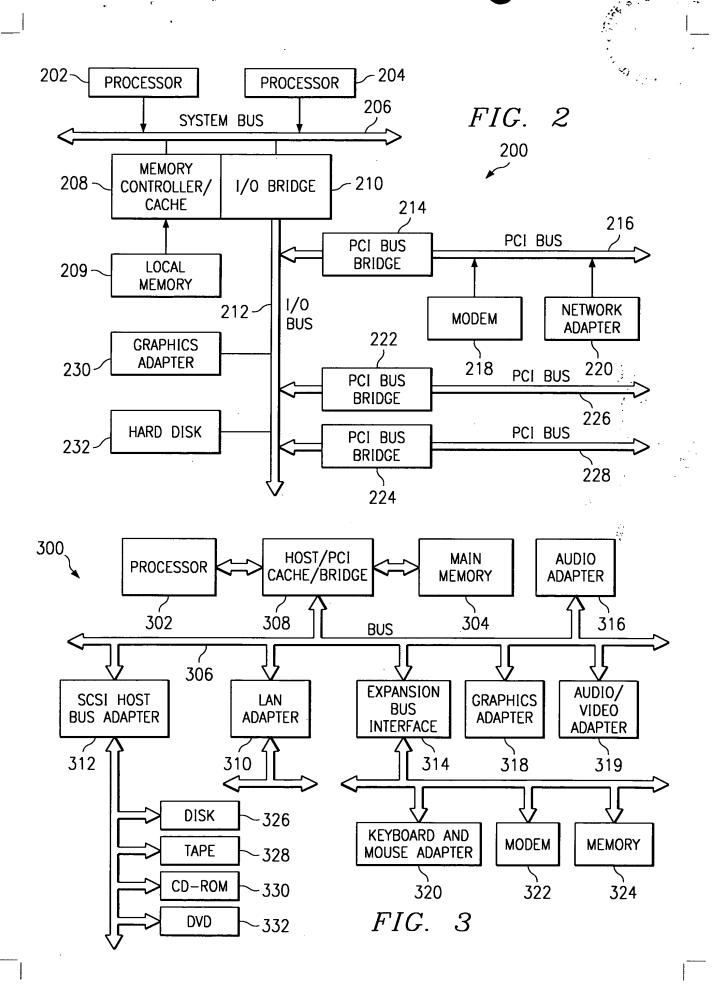
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FIG. 6

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FIG. 7

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